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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: REQUEST BY GOVERNMENT OF ANTIGUA FOR RELEASE OF LAND
UNDER U.S. NAVY CONTROL

1. COMMANDER, U.S. NAVAL FACILITY ANTIGUA, HAS RECENTLY BEEN APPROACHED BY GOA WHICH SEEKS RELEASE OF LAND UNDER US NAVY CONTROL, TO BE USED AS INDUSTRIAL PARK. LAND NOW SERVES AS LOCATION FOR THREE NAVY RHOMBIC ANTENNAS WHICH USED ONLY INFREQUENTLY. IN A TELEGRAM RECENTLY ADDRESSED TO COMOCEANSYSLANT, NORFOLK, VA., FACILITY COMMANDER STATED THAT, CONSIDERING PRESENT COMMAND REQUIREMENTS, HIS COMMAND "WOULD NOT RECOGNIZE ANY DECREASED EFFECTIVENESS BY DISMANTLING THE SUBJECT ANTENNAS" AND EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT, "IF RETURN OF LAND IS DECIDED...THIS WOULD BE EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO RENEW CURRENT STATUS OF FORCES AGREEMENT."

2. I PLAN TO BE IN WASHINGTON BETWEEN APRIL 22 AND APRIL 24. GIVEN OBVIOUS POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF GOA REQUEST AND FACILITY COMMANDER'S SUGGESTION, REQUEST THAT APPOINTMENTS BE MADE FOR ME WITH APPROPRIATE DOD/NAVY OFFICIALS.
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